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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 16 January 1967

DD/I reported that the paper on Vietnam as requested was sent to the Secretary of State this morning. DD/I will be going to the State Department at 0930 and would like to meet with the Director later in the morning.

X1 DD/I noted that some of the most useful reporting on events in Communist China is emanating from Tokyo, [redacted]  
[redacted] news reporting of non-Japanese correspondents presently in Peking.

DD/I called attention to a two-page Soviet advertisement in this morning's New York Times calling for an increase in US-USSR trade. He noted that the economic values involved are not large and that the total value of US-Soviet trade today approximates \$100 million and might go to \$200 million if encouraged. The main problem is still a lack of Soviet products desired by the United States. (See Action 1)

Godfrey mentioned that perhaps the most interesting single item of Japanese reporting on events in Communist China referred to an attempted coup in February as gleaned from poster intelligence.

In response to the Director's request, OCI examined the status of cruise missiles in Cuba and concluded that they are still in a disassembled state near Mariel. DD/I added that NPIC still has no evidence of cruise missile sites in North Vietnam.

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Warner called attention to three separate bills on joint committees to supervise the Agency offered by Representatives Kelly, Zablocki, and Cohelan.

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Warner noted an item in this morning's Washington Post which maintains that the Senate Foreign Relations Committee intends to hold public hearings on the US-USSR consular convention treaty at which J. Edgar Hoover would be asked to testify.

Bross reported on a two-hour session with General Taylor Saturday morning for briefings on situations in the Far East by Messrs. Colby, Bearman, and [REDACTED]

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A-DD/S&T reported on a meeting with [REDACTED] Friday afternoon on ABM collection problems. He noted the growing bureaucratic tangle in which this subject is being caught up and said that he intends to hold his summary of what we know to a few pages.

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ACTION

1. The Director asked that this Friday's briefing examine advantages to the U. S. from East-West trade.

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